

(a) whether supply of milk by the DMS to Trans-Yamuna area falls short of the demand;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government have conducted any survey regarding the requirement and supply of DMS Milk in this area;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the steps taken by the government to increase supply of DMS milk to this area?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI K.C. LENKA): (a) and (b). Yes, sir. Delhi Milk Scheme is supplying about 35000 litres of milk daily in the Trans-Yamuna area. The rest of the demand is met from other sources.

(c) and (d). No, sir.

(e) It is not possible to increase the supply of DMS milk at present due to capacity constraints.

#### **Opening of Petrol Pump and LPG Agencies in Rajasthan**

3470. SHRI AYUB KHAN:  
SHRI RAM NARAIN BERWA:

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of petrol pumps and LPG agencies opened in Jhunjhunu district and in the rural areas of Rajasthan during the last three years; and

(b) number of petrol pumps and LPG agencies proposed to be opened there and in rural areas of Rajasthan in near future?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI S. KRISHAN KUMAR): (a) an (b). 1 retail outlet and 2 LPG distributorships were opened in Jhunjhunu district during the last 3 years. LPG distributorships and petrol pumps are opened in different places, including those in Rajasthan as per the Marketing Plans, availability of the products, etc.

#### **Soil Erosion in U.P.**

3471. SHRI BHUWAN CHANDRA KHANDURI: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have received proposals from the Government of Uttar Pradesh for allocating additional funds for controlling the soil erosion in the hilly areas of the State;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Union government have formulated schemes to check the land-slides in hill areas of U.P.;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Does not arise.

(e) The Union government have not formulated scheme to check the landslides

as no National Highways pass through hilly areas of Uttar Pradesh.

[English]

**Privatisation of Iron ore Mines**

3472. SHRIM. V. CHANDRASEKHARA MURTHY: Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government propose to privatise some iron ore mines; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF STEEL (SHRI SONTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

[Translation]

**Modernisation of Irrigation projects in Uttar Pradesh**

3473. SHRI RAJENDRA KUMAR SHARMA: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have received any proposal from the Government of Uttar Pradesh for modernisation of irrigation projects in the State;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the action taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA): (a) to (c). A statement giving details of modernisation of irrigation projects in Uttar Pradesh together with their appraisal status and action taken is attached.